STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

IN RE:

NEW CINGULAR PCS, LLC (AT&T) APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF A TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER FACILITY AT THE FIRSTLIGHT HYDRO GENERATING COMPANY PROPERTY AT KENT ROAD IN THE TOWN OF NEW MILFORD, CONNECTICUT

DOCKET NO. 444

January 17, 2014

CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER TO BE ADMINISTRATIVELY NOTICED

New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC ("AT&T") respectfully requests the Siting Council to take administrative notice of the enclosed November 13, 2013 letter from the State Historic Preservation Officer with its determination that AT&T's proposed New Milford facility will have no adverse effect.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this day, a copy of the foregoing was sent by overnight delivery to the Connecticut Siting Council.

Dated: January 17, 2014

Lucia Chiocchio

cc:

Michele Briggs, AT&T Michael Libertine, APT Christopher B. Fisher, Esq.



Department of Economic and Community Development



November 13, 2013

Mr. Michael Libertine All-Points Technology Corporation 3 Saddlebrook Drive Killingworth, CT 06457-1847

Subject:

Proposed New Tower Project

381 Kent Road New Milford, CT

New Cingular Wireless PCS

Dear Mr. Libertine:

The State Historic Preservation Office is in receipt of the proposal for the above-referenced project, submitted for review and comment pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act and in accordance with Federal Communications Commission regulations.

After completing review of 381 Kent Road, All-Points Technology Corporation has in their professional opinion stated that there will be no historic properties affected by the project to install a new 150' monopole and 12' x 20' equipment shelter, enclosed by a 75' x 75' fenced compound. Furthermore, the Preliminary Cultural Resources Assessment produced by Heritage Consultants in June 1013 states "...it is the professional opinion of Heritage Consultants, LLC that no further cultural resources investigations of the proposed telecommunications tower is warranted." Based on the information provided to this office, no historic properties will be affected.

The State Historic Preservation Office appreciates the opportunity to review and comment upon this project. These comments are provided in accordance with the Connecticut Environmental Policy Act and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. For further information please contact Todd Levine, Environmental Reviewer, at (860) 256-2759 or todd.levine@ct.gov.

Sincerely,

Daniel T. Forrest

State Historic Preservation Officer